

HUNTERSTOWN CHILD PINNED UNDER TRUCK

Gloria Jean McCartney, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David McCartney, Hunterstown, was struck by a pickup truck operated by Mrs. Nancy A. Kammerer, 33, of Gettysburg R. 4, in front of the McCartney home, at 4:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

The child, who had been playing on the berm of the road, according to state police of the Gettysburg substation, was dragged several feet by the truck, which then went over an embankment, pinning the youngster between the frame of the truck and the ground.

The vehicle had to be lifted before the child could be extricated. She was taken to the Warner hospital in the ambulance. State police said she received contusions and abrasions of the chest and back.

Ran Onto Road

Police said the child ran onto the road in the path of the truck, owned by the husband of the driver, Richard E. Kammerer. No arrest was made. Mrs. Kammerer escaped injury and the truck was not damaged, police said.

Automobiles operated by Laverne Fuhrman, 21, of Hanover R. 1, and Donald J. Neiderer, 18, of Hanover R. 4, figured in an accident 500 feet outside the Hanover borough limits at 12:45 p. m. Tuesday on the Gettysburg-Hanover road.

Both Cars Damaged

State police said both cars were going west and Neiderer struck the left side of Fuhrman's car as the latter attempted to make a left turn. Neiderer's car continued until it hit a tree. Damage to his car was estimated at \$115 and to Fuhrman's car at \$35. No one was injured.

An automobile driven by Donald L. Trostle, Gettysburg R. 2, side-swiped a car operated by William Kimple, Orrtanna R. 2, on York street near Phil's garage at 5:45 p. m. Tuesday, according to a borough police report. Trostle was going east and Kimple west, the report said. No one was injured. Total damage was estimated at \$35.

V.F.W. FIRING SQUAD TO HOLD MEETING FRI.

Beginning this Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, the recently-organized burial detachment of Gettysburg Post No. 15, Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold weekly meetings at the post home on Carlisle street, it was announced by John A. Rummel, chairman of the committee formed for that purpose.

Mr. Rummel said today that the sessions will be made as brief as possible so as not to interfere with the members' other activities and that qualified instructors will be secured to coach the squad in the graveside ritual as well as rituals pertaining to other post ceremonies which may require guards of honor, parade representatives, etc.

Tentative plans call for at least one meeting a month "in the field," Mr. Rummel said, in order that the firing squad may have actual firing practice and the color guardsmen become familiar with the different phases of the ceremonies.

The detachment has not reached the desired strength Mr. Rummel declared, urging VFW members who already possess knowledge of the workings of military burial squads, to report to him on Friday evenings. Nearly 20 men are enrolled for this new phase of VFW duties, he said, and more are expected to volunteer their efforts in enlarging the unit, so that there will be no difficulty in pressing a squad into service when the occasion arises.

Several members of Mr. Rummel's committee expressed hope that the formation of this group will be the forerunner of other activities such as rifle teams, drill teams, and possibly an eventual musical unit.

Fire Destroys Stable And Car

Fire of undetermined origin almost completely destroyed a two-story stable which had been converted into a garage on the property of Mrs. Harry Baker, Main street, Emmitsburg, at 9:45 o'clock Tuesday night.

An automobile, owned by Mrs. Baker's daughter, Miss Pauline Baker, a 1940 Plymouth sedan, was destroyed. Emmitsburg firemen used 2 streams of water and were at the scene of the fire for two hours. A large woodpile also caught fire.

No estimate was made of the loss.

Local Weather

Yesterday's high	55
Last night's low	30
Today at 1:30 p. m.	33
Rain to 8:30 a. m.	0.30

Brethren Church Men Will Meet

The Men of the Marsh Creek Church of the Brethren are sponsoring a meeting in the Gettysburg church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock to which the public is invited. Edgar Leer, president of the men's organization, will preside.

The Rev. Floyd A. Carroll, Gettysburg Methodist pastor, will speak of his trip to Europe and the district president and secretary will have a part in the program.

The program will open with a prelude and a hymn after which Lawrence Hartman, Jr., will read the scripture. Prayer will be offered by Daniel Hoopert. Donald Valentine will have charge of the offertory. After the Rev. Mr. Carroll's address, Mark Roth will speak briefly and Charles Weaver will give the benediction.

ARENDSVILLE ZION REFORMED PLANS SERVICES

Christmas services at Zion Reformed church, Arendtsville, the Rev. Nevin R. Frantz, pastor, will begin Sunday with a unified service of the church school and worship service beginning at 10 o'clock. The church school session will be in charge of the superintendent, Ernest Rebert.

Following a brief opening service the teachers will present the lesson for the day to their classes. At 10:45 the children will enter the sanctuary and present a Christmas program of songs and recitations. The pastor will give a Christmas story for the children and the remainder of the service will center around the theme, "The Christmas Story in Song and Scripture."

Christmas Eve at 7:30 o'clock, the senior choir of 16 voices who have been rehearsing under the direction of the pastor, will present the cantata, "The Birth of Christ" by Ira B. Wilson. Solo parts will be sung by Mrs. Marshall Longenecker, soprano; Mrs. Ernest Rebert, alto; Miss Evelyn Orner, alto, and Robert Taylor, tenor.

Texts of the cantata will be distributed by the ushers to the congregation thus enabling the congregation to follow the movements of the cantata as they are sung by the choir. Mrs. Dale McCauslin, church organist, will preside at the organ.

The public is invited to this Christmas Eve service.

MRS. WM. HANER DIES TUESDAY

Mrs. Gertrude Mae Haner, 75, wife of William P. Haner, 201 Hanover street, died at her home Tuesday afternoon at 1:50 o'clock from a complication of diseases following a lingering illness.

She was a native of Adams county, a daughter of the late Solomon and Elmira (Orner) Funt. Mrs. Haner was a member of St. James Lutheran church, the Mite society and Missionary society of the church, Sons and Daughters of Liberty No. 119, and Order of Reindeer, York.

Surviving are her husband; three children, Mrs. Oscar H. Bream, Newtown, Pa.; Mrs. Joseph D. Krout, Jr., Franklinville, N. J.; and Elmer L. Biglerville; two grandchildren, Joseph D. Krout, 3rd, and Joan D. Krout, Franklinville; one sister, Mrs. David Orner, Gettysburg, and two brothers, Simon Funt and Harry A. Funt, both of Biglerville R. D.

Funeral services Friday at 2 p. m. from the Benger funeral home conducted by the Rev. Dr. Ralph R. Gresh. Interment in Evergreen cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday evening after 7 o'clock.

Three Motorists Pay Code Fines

John Lermer, Lancaster, paid a fine of \$5 and costs to Justice of the Peace George Baker, Abbotstown, for a stop sign violation, state police of the Gettysburg substation, who filed the charge, said today.

George Albright, Hanover, paid a fine of \$10 and costs to Justice of the Peace Elton H. Myers, Idaville, for driving too fast for road conditions.

Glenn C. Klager, Lavelle, Pa., was fined \$10 and costs by Justice of the Peace Robert Bell, Gettysburg R. 4, for making an improper pass at an intersection.

XMAS PARTY FRIDAY

The Christmas party of the Kindergarten-Nursery department of Trinity Evangelical Reformed church will be held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.

Everglade handmade lingerie, Van Raalte underwear, Virginia Myers, Baltimore street.

Clock repairing a specialty, Edward Hughes, 240 Chambersburg street.

PLAN SERVICES AT FAIRFIELD FOR CHRISTMAS

A Christmas eve community service for Fairfield and vicinity will be held in the Fairfield Lutheran church, beginning at 11 p. m. The program will be unique in that all features of it, except the candle lighting, will be carried out incognito. All meditations, vocal and instrumental selections except the organ, are to be presented from stations in one or the other of the Sunday school rooms. The only visible attraction will be a creche lighted with a spotlight.

Participants in the service will be Linn Kepner, trumpeter, who will play "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing"; special musical selections by members of the Mennonite choir and the speakers, the Rev. George Stoneback, the Rev. Thomas Burns and Dr. Norman Wolf. Miss Helen McClellan will be at the organ.

Will Sing Carols

During interludes in the program, Christmas carols will be sung by the audience. The service will close with the candle lighting pageant. The offering will be devoted to foreign relief ministry.

The primary and adult Sunday schools of Zion Lutheran church will present Christmas programs at the Sunday school session Sunday, December 19, and on Sunday evening the Junior Christian Endeavor society will sponsor a program for youth fellowship. A box supper will be served at 6 o'clock. After the supper a Christmas worship service with a program will be held. A fellowship hour and exchange of gifts follow and the program will close with a candle lighting service.

New Year's Eve Party

The Adult Fellowship program for Monday evening will also carry the Christmas theme throughout. An appropriate worship service will open the evening's meeting. The officers of the Fellowship will have charge. There will be singing of carols. Gladys Walter will tell the story of "The Blue Spruce." The theme for the discussion will be "The Virgin Birth of Our Lord," led by Dr. Wolf.

The Junior Christian Endeavor society, together with friends, are planning to sing Christmas carols throughout the village prior to the Community Christmas Eve service. As a final event of the Christmas-New Year season the Adult Fellowship has planned to entertain all the young people of the church at a New Year's Eve party. A full program of singing, games and refreshments is being arranged. The social will begin at 9 o'clock, to last until the ringing of the bells usher in the New Year.

PLEDGED TO SORORITY

Miss Marianne Bracey, daughter of Mrs. Anna Bracey, 54 East Middle street, has been pledged to Phi Mu, national social fraternity at Gettysburg college. Her activities include the Spectrum, college yearbook, and the Student Christian association.

ANNOUNCE ROTC DRILL AWARDS

Cadet First Sergeant Guinn Unger won first place in the competitive drill for the ROTC unit at Gettysburg college in the upper classmen division Tuesday afternoon. First place in the competition for freshmen was won by Cadet C. E. R. Holman.

Other awards were announced as follows:

Upper classmen: Second place, Cadet Sgt. D. Holloway; third place, Cadet Cpl. F. J. Mellin; freshmen, second place, Cadet R. A. Williams; third place, Cadet R. Thomas.

Col. Alfred E. McKenney, professor of military science and tactics at the college, gave the commands for the sophomore, junior and senior competition, and 2nd Lt. Langerman, (reserve), now a student at the college, gave the commands for the freshmen.

The judges were 1st Lt. Chester C. Sergeant of headquarters, 3rd armored cavalry regiment, Fort George G. Meade, Md.; 1st Lt. Leonard Norwood, Jr., of headquarters, same regiment, also of Fort Meade, and 1st Lt. Robert H. Fryling, Marine Corps reserve, a graduate of Gettysburg college and now an instructor.

CHARGE IS FILED

A ten-day notice has been sent by Justice of the Peace John H. Basehore to Edward K. Hartman, Gettysburg R. 1, charging him with reckless driving, as the result of an accident on December 6 when Hartman's automobile failed to make the curve from Buford avenue into Chambersburg street and ran along the sidewalk before hitting two porches and a tree.

All employees in the downstairs department working for Mrs. Shultz, will report for work, Thursday morning, December 16th. Keystone garment company.

Missionary Guild Holds Xmas Party

The Missionary Guild of St. James Lutheran church held a meeting and Christmas party in the church dining room Tuesday evening. Mrs. Howard Hartzell and Mrs. Swartz Hoke were the leaders.

The topic, "God's Gift of Gladness," was told in song and story. Mrs. Hartzell was the reader and Mrs. Hoke the soloist. Prayers were offered by Miss Margaret Howard and the Rev. Dr. Ralph R. Gresh. Also included on the program were readings by Mrs. A. A. Maust and Mrs. Luther McDonnell; solo, "Away in a Manger," and recitation, Allan Hoke; group singing of Christmas carols. Mrs. Gresh was the accompanist.

Following the program a short business meeting was held with the president, Miss Howard, presiding. The table and dining room were decorated in keeping with the season for the Christmas party that followed. Mrs. Hartzell and Mrs. Hoke were the hostesses.

MRS. BROWN IS NEW HEAD OF SERVICE GUILD

Mrs. Richard A. Brown was elected president of the Women's Service Guild of the Presbyterian church at the group's December meeting Tuesday evening in the church school building. She will take up her duties in January as successor to Miss Ruth McIlhenny who has been president for the last two years.

The other officers for the coming year are: First vice president, Mrs. Robert Ditchburn; second vice president, Mrs. Edward Utz; recording secretary, Mrs. C. H. Heldt; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Edmund W. Thomas, Jr.; treasurer, Mrs. W. Mark Johns; and historian, Miss Martha Neely.

The election followed presentation of the report of the nominating committee which was appointed last month and included Mrs. Anna Bracey, Miss Elizabeth Evans and Mrs. E. D. Scott.

Hear Stories Of Carols

This committee was named to audit Guild financial records: Miss Martha Dickson and Miss Margaret Galbraith.

Stories of the origin of a number of the most familiar Christmas carols were told by Mrs. W. Clayton Jester and the group joined in the singing of carols. Refreshments followed the meeting.

About 35 members attended the meeting with Miss McIlhenny presiding. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. S. G. Bigham. Circle financial reports for the year were given and reports were presented on the results of the Christmas bazaar.

Arrangements for the meeting were made by Circle No. 4.

Hospital Report

Ruth Copenhaver, 30, Emmitsburg, was treated at the Warner hospital this afternoon for a minor fracture and dislocation of her right elbow received when she slipped and fell.

Admissions to the Warner hospital include Mrs. Sterling Shindler, Gettysburg and Anna Deitz, Littlestown. Those discharged were Mrs. John Brough, Bendersville; Mrs. G. Henry Roth and infant son, Robert Michael, Barlow street; Fannie Leas, Gettysburg; Eugene Harman, Gettysburg; Mrs. James Robert Sell and infant daughter, Lynda Elizabeth, Littlestown; Mrs. Richard Sharrar and infant daughter, Dorothy Louise, Orrtanna; Mrs. Ralph A. Menchey, Gettysburg R. D.; and Mrs. William Thompson, Aspers.

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Engaged

Miss Betty Jane Minnich, Rahway, N. J., whose engagement to Herbert L. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Smith, West Broadway, was recently announced. Miss Minnich and Mr. Smith are members of the senior class at Gettysburg college. No date has been set for the wedding.



HS ALUMNI TILT ON DECEMBER 30

The annual High School Alumni vs. varsity basketball game will be played on Thursday evening, December 30, and the alumni dance will follow on the same night, it was announced today by committee chairmen in charge of arrangements.

The basketball game will start at 7:30 o'clock in the school gymnasium. J. Herbert Raymond is chairman of the athletic committee of the alumni association and has named Luther Sachs, Jr., as coach and manager of the alumni team.

John H. Basehore and Paul Anzengruber are co-chairmen of the dance committee. The dance will begin at 9 o'clock, or immediately following the game, and will also be held in the gymnasium.

All members of the alumni association and the student body of the high school are invited, and may bring a guest. Price of the dance is 40 cents per person. Music will be furnished by George Oylinger and his orchestra.

Assisting the co-chairmen on the dance committee are Mrs. S. Richard Eisenhart, Mrs. Fred P. Haehnlen, Mrs. Howard Hartzell and Miss Alice Williams.

The alumni basketball players and the price of admission for the basketball game will be announced later.

Sorority To Sponsor Free Holiday Dance

The Epsilon Delta chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority voted Tuesday night, at a business meeting held in the recreation rooms in the basement of the First National bank, to sponsor a free Christmas dance for teen-agers in the Hotel Gettysburg annex December 21.

The sorority said that funds made available to Chief of Police Robert C. Harpster by the musician's union to provide an orchestra will be used to supply the music. Dancing will be from 8 to 11 o'clock.

Twenty-seven members attended the meeting, at which Mrs. Charlotte Swope, president, presided. The sorority addressed Christmas cards to be sent to residents of the county home. Following the business meeting a Christmas party was held, with an exchange of gifts and refreshments.

BULLETINS

Washington, Dec. 15 (AP)—Activities committee said today it has a report that detailed information on the Norden bomb sight leaked out to Russian representatives as early as 1938. This member, who would not permit the use of his name, said the report was obtained orally by a committee investigator and the committee is now pursuing it.

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BIGLERVILLE GRIDDERS ARE DINNER GUESTS

Members of the varsity and junior varsity football teams of Biglerville high school were guests of honor at a dinner in the Biglerville auditorium Tuesday night, at which the principal speaker was Wayne Miller, end coach of the Washington Redskins and former Notre Dame All-America and former all-pro end. The Upper Adams Lions club sponsored the dinner.

"I am amazed that you went through a football season, winning five games, tying one and losing only three, with only 14 men on your varsity squad," Miller said. "But the JV's deserve a lot of credit too," he added. "Without them the varsity wouldn't have had anything to work against."

The famous Redskins' coach related a number of football stories, some of his days at Notre Dame and others of the National pro league, interspersed with sound advice to his high school listeners.

"Choose Right Course"

"The Lord gifted some boys with good bodies and good minds," he said, "but some don't take advantage of what the Lord has given them. Some of you boys may go to college. You may become great football players. But you cannot get into college without the right courses in high school. Check with your principal, your coaches and your teachers and make sure that you are taking the right courses."

Miller said that the Washington Redskins won seven and lost five games during the season just past, with a "green" team, and predicted that with Sammy Baugh back again next year, plus several new men, the "Skins" would do much better in 1949.

"We are going out and get what we (Please Turn to Page 2)

Littlestown

100 SPORTSMEN HEAR PLANS FOR GAME STOCKING

Approximately 100 members attended the December meeting of the Littlestown Fish and Game association Tuesday evening in the Littlestown town hall. Dr. Joseph R. Riden, president, was in charge of the meeting and G. Richard Knipple presented the secretary's report.

It was decided to begin the New Year with a shooting match on Saturday, January 1, at 1:30 p. m., at the Fish and Game farm in Germany township. It was also announced that 12 and 16 gauge guns would be used. The committee on arrangements includes Walter Myers, chairman, Ernest Renner, Meredith Schwartz, Milton Harner, Bernard Dillman, Herman Kaler, W. Clapsaddle, Ed. Leister and William Wherley.

Rabbits for restocking have been ordered from L. C. Miller, Kansas City, Missouri. Delivery is expected in the near future and will be released by a committee including W. E. Sutes, William V. Sneringer, Leon Gage, Earl Weaver, Theron Bair, Wilbur Clapsaddle, Charles W. Weikert. This committee welcomes volunteers to assist in the work.

A collection amounting to \$24.50 was received at the meeting to enable the group to cooperate with other organizations in the community in distributing baskets of food to needy families at Christmas time. The committee from the association includes Leon H. Gage, Bernard Selby and Herman Kaler.

Robert Myers, Bernard Selby and Charles W. Weikert comprise a committee who will place and decorate two Christmas trees at the honor roll on South Queen street.

The annual elections will be conducted at the January meeting. C. J. Krichten, Sr., Seldon Taylor and James U. Bowers comprise the committee on nominations who will select a slate of candidates. The social committee for the next meeting includes Ed Leister, Ned Jones and Wilbur Clapsaddle.

A one-reel talking picture on dogs entitled, "Partners," was shown by Prof. Lloyd L. Stately. This picture was secured by the local Ralston Purina company dealer, L. B. Frommeyer. Karl Bankert, a member of the Fish and Game association, told of his moose hunt in Canada in the early fall. At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served by a committee consisting of William V. Sneringer, William Formwalt and William J. Yingling.

Xmas Program At LHS

A Christmas program will be presented Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the Littlestown high school (Please Turn to Page 6)

Special sale of winter coat and legging sets, Jack and Jill shop, 8 Carlisle street.

Kills Rattler As It Basks In Sun

No one has yet come forward to interpret the occurrence as a sign of spring's approach but a 40-inch rattler was killed in the South Mountains Tuesday morning as it sunned itself on a rock.

The bright sun Tuesday morning and Monday afternoon when the temperature climbed into the sixties apparently lured the rattler from its winter lodgings. Mountain men said rattlesnakes seldom appear in this area in December.

The snake was killed by James Lentz, a Department of Forests and Waters employee who was working with a crew engaged in painting the state land boundary lines through the mountains.

Lentz counted 13 rattles and a button on the reptile. It was killed in Means' Hollow on the west slope of the mountains in the Shippensburg section.

"WHITE GIFT" SERVICE HERE SUNDAY NIGHT

The White Gift Service of Christ Lutheran church will be held Sunday at 7:30 o'clock. Dean Wilbur E. Tilberg, Sunday school superintendent, will preside.

The program will consist of Christmas carols, the Christmas Story illustrated by living pictures, a children's pageant entitled, "The Queen of the Months," and a young people's pageant entitled "Unto Bethlehem." Special music will be presented by the junior choir under the direction of Miss Maebelle Herter and a senior choir under the direction of Parker B. Wagnild. Miss Julia Yost, church organist, will be the accompanist and will also play an organ solo. The White Gift Service will follow.

The Christmas spirit gifts for needy will be evidenced by gifts from the Sunday school for those in need in the community. The offering designated for Lutheran World Action will be received by the acting pastor Dr. Harry Baughman. The Christmas program committee includes: Mrs. George Steckel, Mrs. J. Clair Donley, Robert Weaver, Mrs. Raymond Sheely, Mrs. Dwight P. Putman, Mrs. Lloyd C. Kee-fauver and Mrs. Wallace Fisher. The congregation and public are invited.

An auxiliary choir, trained by Mr. Wagnild, will furnish special music at the church during the Christmas season.

In addition to the White Gift service and regular Sunday services, a Christmas Eve service will be held Friday evening at 11 o'clock.

WILL DIVIDES \$90,000 ESTATE

The will of the late John W. Luca-baugh, Berwick township, for many years a Berwick township farmer, school board member and member of the Adams County Board of School Directors, who died in the Hanover hospital, on December 8, has been filed for probate in the office of the register and recorder at the court house here.

The petition, filed by Stewart A. Luca-baugh, Hanover R. 3, a son; M. T. Hartman, Gettysburg R. 1, and Attorney J. Francis Yake, Jr., Gettysburg, named as executors in the will, lists the value of the estate as \$55,000 personal property and \$35,000 real estate.

A farm on the Abbotstown pike is left to the son, who is also given options on the purchase of three other farms. The residuary estate is left in equal parts to the son, two daughters, Leah Stambaugh and Florence Lehigh and a fourth part to Edna M. Burns.

Also filed for probate was the will of Sarah Ellen Shultz, Franklin township, who died September 3, leaving \$500 personal property and \$8,000 real estate. Petitioners are sons and daughters, Clyde Albert Shultz, 230 West Middle street; Hazel Irene Shultz, and Dorsey Allen Shultz, Cashtown, and John Adam Shultz, Fairfield. The property is left to the children, share alike.

'49 Dog Licenses Go On Sale Here

County Treasurer Donald C. Stall-smith announced today the receipt late Tuesday of the 1949 dog licenses, and before noon today, 29 had been issued. The first license went to George Burgen, 61 East Stevens street.

According to the county treasurer, approximately 4,600 dogs were licensed in Adams county in 1948. Owners have until January 15, under the law, to obtain their 1949 licenses.

Pre-Christmas sale, Virginia Myers, Baltimore street.

MOST OFFICERS OF SUPERVISORS ARE RE-ELECTED

Glenn Jacobs, Reading township, was re-elected president of the Township Road Supervisors and Township Auditors, Assessors and Tax Collectors' association of Adams county at the afternoon session of the 31st annual convention in the court house here Tuesday afternoon.

Emory Fissel, Butler township, was elected vice president, to succeed T. Rhey Zeigler, Tyrone township; Ervin Baker, Hamilton township, was re-elected secretary and Mearl Heikes, Latimore township, was re-named treasurer. M. G. Rouzer, Butler township, and R. M. King, Hamilton township, were elected delegates to the state convention and Frank Miller and Leo McKendrick were named alternates.

Ask Gas Tax Share

The following resolutions were adopted: Resolved, that we request our legislators to support legislation to permanently allocate one cent of the state gasoline tax to the cities, boroughs and townships, upon a 50-per-cent-mileage and a 50-per-cent-population basis for the construction and maintenance of local roads.

Resolved, that we request a further extension of federal aid funds for township roads by means of allocation through the state highway department and a modification of present stringent rules and regulations of the Federal Bureau of Public Roads.

RIO DEFENSE TREATY TAKES TEST IN STRIDE

Washington, Dec. 15 (AP)—The Rio Defense Treaty, by taking its first test in stride, offered fresh encouragement today to drafters of a North Atlantic defense alliance.

The 12-day-old inter-American pact—expected to serve as a pattern for a mutual aid arrangement binding the United States and Canada to the five-nation Western European Union—came to grips last night with Costa Rica's claim that she had been invaded from Nicaragua.

Actually, the only concrete step was a move to investigate the incident. But the case took on importance far beyond the immediate situation.

The Rio treaty went into force on December 3, when Costa Rica deposited the last necessary ratification. Eight days later Costa Rica invoked the treaty on charges that about 1,000 armed troops from Nicaragua invaded her territory. Nicaragua denied responsibility.

Goes Into Operation
After nine and a half hours of debate, the hemisphere council came up with this formula last night:

1. Following requirements of the treaty, the council called a meeting of foreign ministers—without naming a date or place—and set itself to work as a provisional organ of consultation. In that capacity, the council has many of the enforcement powers assigned to the foreign ministers' conference.

2. It appointed a commission to visit the scene of conflict and find out what is going on.

Delegates expressed hope the investigating commission, working with the council, might solve the problem without having to summon the foreign minister for action.

They said the mere threat of stern action might substitute for the action itself, by making the contending nations receptive to settlement proposals.

KING CHEERED ON BIRTHDAY

London, Dec. 15 (AP)—King George VI observed his 53rd birthday Tuesday, cheered by news that his dangerous leg condition is improving.

But despite yesterday's reassuring medical bulletin the royal family planned no formal celebration. The king's birthday, always a quiet family affair, was more than habitually subdued this year.

Illness held the king to his bed most of the day. But the affliction to his legs had improved sufficiently to permit him to go to the dining room for the family luncheon. At lunch the king received his presents—"intimate little things," a palace spokesman said.

Flags fluttered over thousands of buildings and cannon roared in observance of the day, but the big display is reserved for the king's "official" birthday in June.

The king is now spending most of his time in bed at Buckingham palace. Doctors treating what has been described officially as obstruction to circulation of the blood in his legs, have ordered him to take it easy for at least six months.

Besides the birthday, December marks two other milestones for the king. Last Saturday was the twelfth anniversary of his accession to the throne. And today Princess Elizabeth's son—his first grandchild—will be christened.

Pete Reiser Traded For Mike McCormick

Chicago, Dec. 15 (AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers today traded Harold (Fete) Reiser to the Boston Braves for outfielder Myron (Mike) McCormick and another player to be named at a later date.

Reiser, who broke into the majors in 1941 as an outfielder, was used last season at third and first base in addition to the outfield.

Hampered by numerous injuries, the 28-year old native of St. Louis appeared in only 64 games last season and hit for his all-time low of .236.

McCormick, 31, batted .303 in 115 games for the Braves last season. He broke into the majors in 1940 with the Cincinnati Reds and remained with them for six seasons. He was sold to the Boston Braves early in '46.

Christmas Party Is Held Monday

The Christmas party of the Senior Girl Scouts, Troop 25, was held Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Margaret Holtzworth, with Alvina Becker and Rose Mary Schuchart as assistant hostesses.

A short business session was held at which it was decided to sing Christmas carols on the streets the evening of December 21.

Games and contests were played and gifts exchanged. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Nancy Lighter, Buford avenue, January 3.

CORRECTION

Mrs. Janice D. Keller, Arendtsville, instead of Mrs. Janice D. Heller, has been employed as a visitor by the Adams County Board of Public Assistance.

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Mrs. Lawrence Parish and daughter, Linda Lee, Taneytown, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Parish's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Crouse, Seminary avenue.

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church held its annual Christmas meeting Tuesday evening at the church with Mrs. Bernard Murray, the president, presiding. Mrs. Ralph Barley conducted the devotional period. Prof. A. Franko, of the faculty of Gettysburg college, gave a talk on the "Ways and Customs of the Philippines." At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by members of the hostess committee which included Mrs. J. Floyd Slaybaugh, Mrs. C. O. Schweizer, Mrs. Augusta Merrow, Miss Ann Merrow and Miss Verna Kitzmiller.

The Molaga card club held its Christmas party Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Harry E. Price, Buford avenue. An exchange of gifts was held.

The Primary department of the Methodist Sunday school will present a Christmas program Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Primary room of the church. At the same time the annual Christmas party for the children of the Kindergarten department will be held in the departmental room. Parents of the children are invited to attend both programs.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth P. Hull and son, Kenny, and daughter, Betsy, Seminary avenue, have gone to Utica, N. Y., to spend the holidays with Mrs. Hull's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van R. Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Donald Scott and family and Mrs. Scott's aunt, Mrs. Mary Null, Baltimore street, have returned from a week-end visit in Piedmont, West Virginia.

The auxiliary of the Mary Gettys Rebekah lodge will hold its annual Christmas party Thursday evening in the lodge rooms. All members and their families are invited to attend. Any member of a family is also invited to take part in the program, especially the children. Refreshments will be served and exchange of gifts held, those for adults not to exceed 25 cents and those for the children 50 cents.

Littlestown

Littlestown—Mrs. Howard Trostle, South Queen street, was hostess to the December meeting of the Loyalty class of St. Paul's Lutheran church on Monday evening. After a song service, scripture was read by the hostess, Mrs. Robert Gouker, president, was in charge of the meeting. Mrs. Clair Worley presented the secretary's report and Mrs. Esther Wolfe, the treasurer's report. Miss Joan Coble, supervisor of music in the Littlestown joint school system, sang, "Jingle, Jingle," "Santa Claus Coming," "My Doll has had an Accident" and "Bring a Torch." Mrs. Esther Wolfe presented a reading. Following a song by the class, poems were read by Mary Wintrobe and Mrs. Trostle. Mrs. L. Robert Snyder donated the guess package which was received by Mrs. Charles Kump. After the business and the program, there was an exchange of Christmas gifts. The next meeting will be held Monday, January 11, at a place to be announced later.

Miss Jean Wolfe was the leader of the Christian Endeavor society of St. Paul's Lutheran church on Sunday evening. A song service opened the meeting and Albert stock offered the prayer of the evening. The topic, "Christian Attitude toward others," was discussed by Miss Wolfe. The Christmas party previously announced for December 22 has been changed to Tuesday, December 21, and it will be held in the Sunday school room. After the Christmas Endeavor pledge in unison, the meeting closed with the Christian Endeavor benediction.

Coach Clayton L. Evans and assistant Maurice Bream, represented Littlestown high school, Monday afternoon and evening at District 3 meeting of the PIAA in the community hall at Hershey.

There will be a meeting of the King's Daughters class, Lewis E. Blair, teacher and the Young Men's Bible class, Harvey W. Schwartz, teacher, of the Christ Reformed church, near town, on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock to decorate the sanctuary for Christmas.

Littlestown Cub Pack No. 84 held a Christmas party Tuesday evening in the P.O.S. of A. hall, with an attendance of 50 cubs and their parents. The business session was dispensed with because of the lengthy program. A special meeting will be called before the January meeting to transact the necessary business.

Dens No. 1 and 5 combined their program as Den No. 5 is without a chief. Charles Badders is chief of Den No. 1 and Mrs. Ernest R. Sentz is the mother. Mrs. George Streivig is the mother of Den No. 5. Their program follows: recitation, John Shomper; duet, "Silent Night," by Terry Brown and Larry Sentz, accompanied by Mrs. Ernest R. Sentz; recitation, "My Christmas Tree," Larry Myers; dialogue, "Christmas," Thomas Stonifer and Ronald Streivig; recitation, "Christmas Cookies," Gary Streivig. Harry Badders is the chief of Den No. 2 and Mrs. Leonard L. Potter is the mother. Their program follows: saxophone solos, "I

Wedding

Mummert—Kroft

Miss Janet Louise Kroft, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Kroft, Littlestown R. 1, became the bride of Walter Alvin Mummert, 28, Penn street, Hanover, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mummert, Spring Grove R. 2, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Immanuel Lutheran church, Manchester, Md. The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Paul Levi Fouk, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Hanover. The couple was attended by Miss Anna Mae Mummert, Hanover, sister of the bridegroom, and Alton Mummert, Hanover, cousin of the bridegroom. Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held for the immediate families. The newlyweds are residing in a newly-furnished apartment at 222 Baltimore street, Hanover. Mrs. Mummert is employed at Snyder's Bakery, Inc. Mr. Mummert is employed by Klunk Brothers, contractors. He served three years in the U. S. Navy, 26 months of which he spent in the Pacific aboard a cruiser.

Whitcomb—Keller

Miss June Marie Keller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Keller, East Berlin, and Dale Whitcomb, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Whitcomb, of York R. 8, were married Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Zion EUB church, York. The Rev. G. L. Reeser, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony. Mrs. Leon Keller was the matron of honor. Mr. Whitcomb had for his best man, Leon Keller. Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Community hall for about 70 guests. Mrs. Whitcomb is employed at the Centry Ribbon mills, York. The bridegroom served 30 months in the U. S. Navy spending 12 months in the Pacific theater. He is employed by the Red Lion Cabinet company. Mr. and Mrs. Whitcomb will reside at the home of the bride.

DEATH

Bury Mrs. Hospelhorn

Graveside services for Mrs. Bertram Hospelhorn, who died Sunday in Hagerstown, were held this morning at 10:30 o'clock in Mountainview cemetery, Emmitsburg.

The pallbearers were Robert McNair, Luther Kugler, George Eyster, Warren Kugler, Roy Maxwell and Clarence Frailey.

THOUGHTFUL THIEF

Reading, Pa., Dec. 15 (AP)—Reading police are looking for a "thoughtful" pickpocket who mails back his victims' wallets—empty, of course. Police said two victims received their wallets through the mail yesterday. Clifton Jenkins reported everything was intact except the \$94 his wallet had contained when taken. Paul Sell, of Shillington, lost \$14 but got his wallet back, too.

FLOUR MILL SOLD

A deed has been filed in the office of the register and recorder, showing the transfer of ownership in a flour mill and property at East Berlin from T. C. and R. F. Owings, York, a partnership known as Owings brothers, to the East Berlin Flour and Feed Mills, Inc. The consideration shown on the deed is \$22,683.46.

FAVOR DEFENDANT

A Cumberland county jury Monday returned a verdict in favor of the defendant, Harry Gardner, of Gardner, who was sued by J. A. Grove, Carlisle, for damages resulting in a collision of automobiles on January 14, 1947, in the Spring Road at the entrance to the Masland plant. Grove sought to recover \$421.62 in damages to his car in the accident.

Heard the Bells of Christmas," and "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," by George Snyder; skit by the den, "Trimming the Christmas Tree." Den No. 3 dramatized "The Night Before Christmas." Albert Stock is the chief and Mrs. Kenneth D. James, the mother. Leroy Basehoar, Wayne Reeder, Gene Miller, Larry Jones and Larry Snyder, members of Den No. 4 presented a skit. Dean Sell is the chief and Mrs. Harry Snyder is the den mother. At this point in the program Santa Claus entered and presented each person with a gift. Motion pictures were then shown by the Cub master, L. Robert Crouse. The pictures were: Two Christmas reels; a Woody Woodpecker and Little Black Sambo. The projector used for these pictures was through the courtesy of Luther W. Ritter. Following the pictures, refreshments were served by the den mothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Sentz, East King street, were in Philadelphia on Saturday where they attended the banquet commemorating the 101st anniversary of the founding of the P.O.S. of A. in America. Mr. Sentz is a state building trustee.

The quarterly meeting of the Fellowship Circle Sunday school class of St. Paul's Lutheran church was held on Monday evening at the home of the teacher, Mrs. Lloyd Humbert, East King street. A candlelight and Christmas carol service was held in charge of Mrs. David S. Kammerer. This service included scripture and prayer. Mrs. Humbert read the story of "The Other Wise Man." A short business session followed with refreshments served by Mrs. Humbert.

BIGLERVILLE

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think will considerably strengthen the team," he declared. He predicted Harry Gilmer and Howie Livingston, both out this year with injuries, would be back in the lineup next year, and that Baugh, "the way he is going now, can play football until he is 50." He also predicted that Goode, drafted from Texas A and M, would be as good as Battles, "the greatest back in the pro game."

The Redskins, he said, are always looking for good material. Without mentioning names, he said that if a quarterback on the Gettysburg college team had 20 more pounds, the "Skins would be interested in him, and paid a compliment to one of the ends, a sophomore. "We may be after him in a couple of years," he said.

Introduced By Bream

Miller was introduced by Henry T. Bream, coach of the college team. "Miller left Salem, Mass., in 1932 to enter Notre Dame," Bream said. "He played on the freshman team in 1932, and on the varsity in 1933, 1934 and 1935. He was All-America end at Notre Dame in 1934 and 1935. In the latter year, Miller, with only six seconds to play, caught the pass that defeated Ohio state."

"He played pro football with the Boston Redskins and then the Washington Redskins in 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, when he was all-league end. In 1941 he enlisted in the navy, and returned to the Redskins as player-coach in 1945. In 1946 he became a full-time coach. He handles the ends."

"I give you a great football player and a great guy," he said.

Lauds Coaches

Rowe Martin, president of the Upper Adams club, opened the banquet program by welcoming members of the teams and the guests, and introduced Arthur Gordon, athletic director of the Biglerville high school, as toastmaster. Mr. Gordon praised both the team members and the coaches. "We are fortunate in having coaches who not only know football, but also know boys," he said.

Introduces Players

"Our efforts were small compared with the efforts put forth by the boys," Head Coach Gene Haas said, in introducing members of the team. He paid special tribute first to the five seniors, Clyde Naylor, Robert Weikert, Clair Showers, Carl Rose and George Weaver, and then read the names of the other team members, all of whom stood as their names were called. They included Donald and Harold Hollabaugh, Richard Pitzer, George Slaybaugh, Richard Unger, Clark Heller, Richard Warner and Fay Kopp. Gordon thanked the Lions club for entertaining the team. "Through this banquet, you give us encouragement to carry on," he said. Honored with Coach Haas was Assistant Coach Russell Kane.

Fifty members of the Upper Adams Lions club, 35 members of the varsity and junior varsity teams and 35 parents and guests attended the banquet. Seated at the speakers' table were Mr. Martin, Mr. Gordon, Rev. O. D. Coble, Mr. Miller, Mr. Bream and Glenn L. Bream.

Sing Xmas Numbers

Mrs. Charles L. Yost gave several piano selections during the banquet, and accompanied the group singing, led by Earl Fohl. The assemblage sang one verse of "America," and the invocation was given by Rev. Coble. Following the turkey dinner, served by members of the home economics classes, several Christmas numbers were sung by the audience, with Mr. Fohl leading, among them "Silent Night," "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," and "O Come All Ye Faithful."

Table decorations were miniature gridirons, with goal posts, footballs and cheerleaders megaphones lettered "BHS." The players and Coaches Haas and Kane were seated at a central table in front of the speakers. Mr. Miller answered several questions following his address.

Assails Plans To Raise Gasoline Tax

Philadelphia, Dec. 15 (AP)—An increase in Pennsylvania's gasoline tax "is needed only on the basis of continuance of the ponderous, unwieldy, top-heavy state highway system and generous cash handouts to municipalities," says J. Maxwell Smith, president of the Keystone Automobile club.

Smith said in a statement yesterday that the present gas tax of four cents per gallon would be sufficient "if the commonwealth was not overburdened with the largest state highway system in the nation."

The automobile club official's statement came after Gov. James H. Duff announced that he planned to ask the legislature to impose an additional two cents tax on each gallon of gasoline.

SHE MAY QUIT

Conington, Eng., Dec. 15 (AP)—Mrs. Thomas Murdon has been cleaning this village's public telephone booth daily for 10 years. Her pay: One shilling (20 cents) a week. Now the government wants half of that—a sixpence (one dime)—under the national health insurance plan. She's thinking of quitting.

COUPLES TO WED

Marriage licenses were issued at the court house today to John Walter White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eston C. White, Fairfield R. 1, and Hope Eloise Spicer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius C. Spicer, Gettysburg R. 4, and to Clair Edward Taylor, Biglerville R. 1, and Margaret Faye Reeder, Pittsburgh.

Upper Communities

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Shillito and son, Larry, Biglerville, were recent visitors in York.

The VFW Conewago post No. 8991 will hold its next meeting Thursday evening following the basketball game instead of at the regular time at 7:30 o'clock. John E. Stover, adjutant, announced today.

Mrs. Donald Lady entertained the members of the evening bridge club to which she belongs Tuesday evening at her home in Biglerville. Mrs. Lester Taylor was an additional guest. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Donald Weaner.

The annual Christmas party of the Nursery and Beginners' departments of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Biglerville, will be held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the social rooms of the church. The committee on arrangements includes Mrs. Henry W. Sternat, Mrs. Lloyd W. Kleinfelter and Mrs. Chester Lawver. Immediately following the party at 4:30 o'clock a similar affair will be held for the children of the Primary department with Mrs. Waybright Thomas and Mrs. Kenneth Alwini in charge.

Mrs. Vincent Hawbecker and Mrs. Clair Shillito, Biglerville, were recent visitors in Harrisburg.

The class of Trinity-Bender's Evangelical and Reformed Sunday school, Biglerville, taught by Elmer Hoke, will meet Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lawver.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Koser, of Biglerville, left today to spend a month at Atlantic City, N. J., and with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Cardell, of Pleasantville, N. J.

The Ever Ready class of Zion Reformed Sunday school Arendtsville, taught by Bradford Peterson, held its annual Christmas party Tuesday evening in the social rooms of the Arendtsville bank. An exchange of gifts was held and a Christmas program presented. The hostess committee included Mrs. Charles McDannell, Mrs. J. Blaine Bushey, Jr., Mrs. Victor Diveley, Mrs. Blaine Hartman and Mrs. Raymond Slaybaugh.

EX-SEN. REED IS WED AGAIN

New Canaan, Conn., Dec. 15 (AP)—Former U. S. Senator David Aiken Reed of Pennsylvania was to be married here today to Miss Edna French, of Syracuse, N. Y. Miss French is a cousin of his first wife, who died on June 9.

Reed, now nearing 68, and for many years a powerful figure on the Republican side in the Senate to which he first went in 1922, makes his summer home here.

Miss French, whom he described as a "devoted friend for many years of both myself and the first Mrs. Reed," has lived at 407 Stolp avenue, Syracuse.

Today's wedding will be at the home of T. Ferdinand Wilcox, a brother of the first Mrs. Reed as well as a cousin of Miss French.

The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Michael Barton of St. Mark's Episcopal church in the presence of the former senator's two children, David Aiken Reed, Jr., and Mrs. Charles Denby II, and a small group of friends. Reed will have as his best man Thomas Schultz, New York and Pennsylvania attorney, who was a classmate at Princeton.

After a wedding trip and a sojourn in Florida, Reed said that he and Mrs. Reed would return to Pittsburgh until next spring. Reed's first wife was the former Adela Wilcox, of New York whom he married in 1902.

BULLETINS

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was christened with a big name today—Prince Charles Philip Arthur George of Edinburgh.

He took the whole strange affair, his first taste of the ceremonious life he was born to, like a little man. An official description said "Prince Charles behaved beautifully throughout the christening."

Harrisburg, Dec. 15 (AP)—The Bell Telephone company of Pennsylvania termed a proposed \$25,000,000 increase in telephone rates an "absolute necessity" today but objectors claimed they were "extortionate." The opposing viewpoints were presented to the Public Utility commission as it opened hearings on the proposed increase.

Only Tax Collector Thinks He's Living

Rome, Dec. 15 (AP)—Giovanni Villa, 35, of Palermo, Sicily, has been trying for four years to get himself declared alive. He has succeeded only with the tax collector, who sends him bills regularly.

The Palermo civil registry has him listed as dead since 1944 at the village of Patricia, which Villa said he never visited. His wife recently had a baby. He tried in vain to get the child registered but officials said: "Dead men can't father children." Villa, however, gets and pays all tax bills.

REECE MAY TRY COMEBACK TO GOP HELM

By JACK BELL

Washington, Dec. 15 (AP)—A struggle for control of Republican party machinery loomed today with reports that Carroll Reece may challenge National Chairman Hugh Scott in a comeback attempt.

Scott, a Philadelphia Congressman, replaced Reece as chairman last June when Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York won the party's presidential nomination.

Although Scott has given every indication he intends to fight to hold his job, Dewey's November defeat has produced a crop of prospective opponents.

Await Taft Return

Besides Reece, others mentioned include Rep. Everett M. Dirksen of Illinois, who is retiring from Congress; Tom Coleman, former Wisconsin state chairman and a supporter of Harold E. Stassen, and Senator John Cooper of Kentucky, defeated for re-election.

Backers of Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio were credited with having engineered Reece's election to the party helm in 1946.

So Taft's return from an European trip is being awaited not only for his views on the party chairmanship and possible reorganization of the GOP Senate leadership, but on a party policy conference suggested yesterday by Scott.

Reaction Favorable

Scott told reporters he will lay before the national committee—probably late in January—a proposal to have representative Republicans meet and draft a statement of party policy.

He said his idea is that the committee should set up the machinery for a meeting of its own members with GOP lawmakers, former candidates, representatives of labor and industry, young Republicans and possibly state chairmen.

Immediate reaction among Republican Senators who could be reached was mostly favorable. Perhaps significantly, however, Senator Vandenberg of Michigan—the party's top Congressional spokesman on foreign affairs—declined any comment. He apparently was not consulted in advance of Scott's announcement.

Return Fugitive To Ohio Prison

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Dec. 15 (AP)—Daniel Wasielewski of Pittston was due today to start the trip back to an Ohio prison from which he escaped almost 10 years ago.

Wasielewski fled March 6, 1939 from the Ohio state reformatory at Mansfield, while serving one to 20 years for operating a vehicle without the owner's consent.

The Pittston man has been in Luzerne county jail since June when he was arrested in connection with the robbery of a wholesale house.

District Attorney Schwartz said charges against Wasielewski here would be held in abeyance and consented to his return to Ohio.

Philadelphia, Dec. 15 (AP)—Eighty-three-year-old Albert S. Marks was struck and left dying on a west Philadelphia street yesterday by a motorist who fled from the scene of the accident, police reported. Marks, former president of the J. T. Thorne Co., died four and a half hours later in Osteopathic hospital. Police said passersby told them the elderly man was struck by a light delivery truck.

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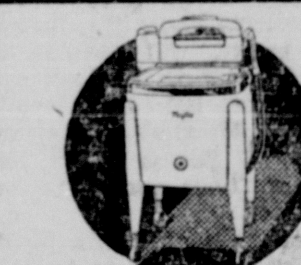
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MAROON QUINT OUTCLASSED BY YORK HIGH 43-32

Gettysburg high school's basketball team dropped its first game of the season here Tuesday night to York high in a one-sided affair 43-32 before approximately 700 fans.

The Maroons again demonstrated convincingly they are sadly lacking in an offensive punch. Eight field goals, four by Bruce Westerdahl, were the total for the game. Gettysburg held the lead once in the game, that as a result of Westerdahl's short toss a half a minute after the game started. There was not another Maroon goal until Westerdahl tallied a shot after a minute and a half had elapsed in the third period.

Visitors In Command
York took command after Westerdahl's opening goal on a free throw by Ritter and goals by Brown and Simmons. At the first quarter the score stood 11-5.

Coach Cockley's team, definitely below last year's championship form, hiked its margin to 21-8 at half time on a trio of goals and four free tosses while the Maroons tallied on foul tosses by Eisenhart, Sachs and Kuhn.

The visitors pushed their margin to 34-17 at the end of the third period and then reserves from both squads began to make their appearance. It was during the presence of a number of the scrubs that the Maroons demonstrated a little offensive punch and managed to outscore their opponents 15-9 during the period but never threatening the York margin.

In the preliminary game the Maroon scrubs were a sadly outclassed team as they bowed 51-6. The locals were held without a field goal until the last 14 seconds of play when Singley saved them from a shutout. York's team played a pressing game all over the floor which the Maroons could not fathom.

Next Tuesday York will be met

in return games on the York floor. On Thursday, December 23, Delone Catholic will come here for a game.

Gettysburg			
	G.	F.	Pts.
Westerdahl, f	4	1-2	9
Bushman, f	0	2-8	2
Myers, f	0	0-0	0
Deardorff, f	1	1-1	3
Donaldson, c	1	4-7	6
Kuhn, c	1	1-1	3
Eisenhart, g	0	4-4	4
Knox, g	0	0-0	0
Sachs, g	0	1-2	1
Hankey, g	1	2-2	4
Deaner, g	0	0-1	0
Totals	8	16-28	32

York			
	G.	F.	Pts.
Inners, f	3	2-5	8
Ritter, f	1	3-4	5
Strine, f	1	0-1	2
Hickey, c	0	0-0	0
Simmons, c	6	1-1	13
Johnson, c	0	1-1	1
Brown, g	3	2-4	8
Herbat, g	1	0-1	2
Shuff, g	0	0-0	0
Dietz, g	1	0-1	2
Stauffer, g	0	0-0	0
J. Robertson, g	1	0-0	2
Totals	17	9-18	43

Score by periods:			
York	11	10	13
Gettysburg	5	3	9

Referees: Thomas, Smith.

Jayvee Game			
	G.	F.	Pts.
Rohrbaugh, f	2	0-0	4
Frey, f	4	1-1	9
Tyler, f	0	1-1	1
Orris, f	0	0-0	0
Triggs, c	6	0-0	12
Dinsel, c	0	0-0	0
Robertson, g	2	1-1	5
Luckenbaugh, g	2	0-1	4
Landis, g	2	0-0	4
Aubitz, g	3	0-0	6
Mackley, g	2	0-1	4
Bode, g	1	0-0	2
Totals	24	3-5	51

Gettysburg			
	G.	F.	Pts.
Ford, f	0	0-1	0
Raff, f	0	0-0	0
Cleveland, c	0	3-5	3
Crist, g	0	0-3	0
Singley, g	1	1-3	3
Hoffman, g	0	0-1	0

College "5" Host To Albright Tonight

This evening at 8:15 o'clock the Gettysburg college basketball team will clash with Albright on the college floor in its final home game prior to the Christmas holidays. There will be no preliminary game.

Last year the Lions nipped the Bullets here, 47-45, and practically the same team will be here bent on repeating that performance. Heading the visitors cast of stars is Eddie Anlian, the long-shot artist.

Following tonight's game the Bullets will play Delaware on the latter's floor Friday evening to wind up their pre-holiday schedule.

All-America Grid Team In Newsreel

The newsreel to be shown at the Majestic theatre Friday and Saturday will be devoted exclusively to football, it was revealed today by Sydney J. Poppay, manager.

Intimate closeups and action pictures of Collier's All-America football team for 1948 will be shown.

Industrial Bowling League

G-Burg Gas Club				
Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
M. Tate	202	149	216	567
B. Little	170	177	165	512
C. Mayhall	166	110	144	420
W. Holtzworth	154	134	155	443
P. Miller	164	174	203	541
Totals	856	744	883	2483

Smith Welding				
Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
C. Sterner	160	203	188	551
C. Smith	167	155	155	477
T. Clapper	193	172	144	509
G. O'Connor	153	172	141	466
F. Moll	153	204	146	503
Totals	826	906	774	2506

Redding, g				
	G.	F.	Pts.	
Wortz, g	0	0-0	0	
Miller, g	0	0-0	0	
Totals	1	4-13	6	

Score by periods:
York 11 5 19 16-51
Gettysburg 2 2 0 2-6
Referees: March, Fair.

N.O. DRIBBLERS RALLY TO WIN

Staging one of the most sensational last five-minute rallies ever seen on the New Oxford high school floor, Coach Martin Fleagle's New Oxford boys tallied 25 points and pulled the game from the fire to win 39-33 over Manchester Tuesday evening.

Spear-heading the rally were J. Miller and G. Mummert. Manchester tallied 13 points in the third period to take a 20-12 lead, before completely collapsing in the final period.

The victory was the fourth straight for New Oxford and their fifth in six starts.

The New Oxford junior varsity won the preliminary game 31-23. On Friday evening New Oxford meets the alumni.

New Oxford			
	G.	F.	Pts.
G. Yealy, f	2	0-2	4
F. Howe, f	0	0-0	0
D. Wiseman, f	1	0-2	2
Aldridge, f	0	0-0	0
J. Miller, c	9	1-2	19
G. Mummert, g	7	0-1	14
C. Griest, g	0	0-1	0
Totals	19	1-8	39

Manchester			
	G.	F.	Pts.
Davin, f	2	1-1	5

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West Virginia 62, Wake Forest 44.
Holy Cross 72, Bowling Green (Ohio) 68.
CCNY 79, Brooklyn College 58.
Dartmouth 72, Harvard 68.
Oklahoma Aggies 36, Long Island 38.
Princeton 48, Lafayette 42.
Yale 61, Connecticut 44.
Elizabethtown 71, Ursinus 50.
Kings (Pa.) 71, Triple Cities 55.
Swarthmore 61, Moravian 42.

	G.	F.	Pts.
Diehl, f	5	2-2	12
Jacobs, f	1	0-0	2
Strine, c	3	0-0	6
Neff, g	4	0-0	8
Kohr, g	0	0-0	0
Beck, g	0	0-0	0
Totals	15	3-3	33

Score by periods:
New Oxford 6 6 0 27-39
Manchester 2 5 13 13-33
Referees: Myers, Pitzer. Scorer, Shriver.

New York, Dec. 15 (AP)—Ike Williams, world lightweight champion, was awarded the Edward J. Neil trophy yesterday as the boxing

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figure who has done the most for the sport during the past year. The Trenton, N. J., negro fought 10 times during 1948, defending his title on three of these occasions. The plaque is awarded annually by the New York Boxing Writers association in memory of the late Associated Press sports writer who was killed as a war correspondent in Spain in 1937.

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Out Of The Past

From the Files of the Star and Sentinel and The Gettysburg Times

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Coolidge Gives Harding Praise:
Washington, D. C., Dec. 11—President Harding was eulogized by his successor in office, Calvin Coolidge, in an address broadcast Monday night by radio as one who was eminently fitted "to serve a distracted world in a difficult period of its history."

The President spoke in his study at the White House, and his address, one of the features of the nationwide observance of Harding Memorial Week, was carried to the farthest parts of the country. Exceptional facilities for broadcasting were provided, as all broadcasting stations were requested by the Department of Commerce to remain silent during the time Mr. Coolidge spoke.

Visitors Come from Germany:
Mrs. Emilie Schoninger and daughter, Elise, five years old, and Julia, 7, arrived in Gettysburg from Obendorf, southern Germany, for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Elise Scharf, at Hotel Gettysburg. They were accompanied by Miss Melaine Lauer, of the same place.

No More Co-Eds at Gettysburg College after 1926: Co-education at Gettysburg college was abolished by action of the trustees in the meeting in Harrisburg Tuesday, the vote being 8 to 15 on the question. The new order becomes effective September 9, 1926, and after that date no woman will be allowed to matriculate at the institution, although those who have enrolled previous to that time will be allowed to complete their course. In the meantime, the total enrollment of women at the college will be limited to 75.

Fire Company Picks Officers: At one of the most largely attended meetings in several months, members of the Gettysburg Fire company elected officers for the year 1924 on Wednesday evening. Seventy firemen were present for the balloting. R. H. Bushman was elected president and succeeds C. E. Ziegler. For the third year James B. Aumen was elected chief of the company. Results of the other elections are as follows:

M. E. Crouse, vice president; C. B. Kitzmiller, secretary; Wilbur Stallsmith, financial secretary; O. A. Lupp, treasurer; H. E. Smiley, first assistant chief on the Boyd; William G. Weaver, second assistant chief on the Boyd; Percy Miller, first assistant chief on the Brockway; M. E. Crouse, second assistant chief on the Brockway; J. E. Storm, chaplain; J. Ralph Redding, fire marshal; Arthur E. Hutchison, delegate to State convention; Fred Faber and Murray Miller, delegates to the Southeastern Association convention.

Opens Hat Store: At noon Thursday Miss Virginia M. Myers, York street, opened a millinery store in the Bender building, Baltimore street, formerly occupied by "The Lavender Shop." For several years Miss Myers has been a milliner at Staunton, Virginia. The name of the new enterprise will be "The Bonnet Shop."

Couple Marry at Home of Bride: With fifty guests attending, Miss Mildred Ethel Gilbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gilbert and Ralph Foster Shader, son of Mrs. M. C. Shader, Harrisburg, were married at the home of the bride's parents at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening.

The Rev. Earl J. Bowman officiated, using the single ring ceremony. Alfred Gilbert played Lohengrin's Wedding March and Mendelssohn's March.

Spangler—Ridinger: Miss Delphine Birdie Ridinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Ridinger, of Harney, Maryland, and Albert Clarence Spangler, son of Mrs. Charles Spangler, Taneytown R. D., were married at the parsonage of the Mt. Joy Lutheran church, Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock, by the Rev. L. K. Young, pastor.

Reaver—Shriver Nuptials Held:

Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

DESTINATIONS
I never enter a train for a journey without looking about me and wondering as to the destinations of those about me. Where is each one going? Why—for what purpose? What will the result be? It would be interesting to know the brief story of each traveler. Without even guessing, however, we can be sure that each traveler has his own destination in mind. And about it his thoughts will gather until it is reached.

Gibran, the Indian poet and philosopher, once stated that people of the west centered their interests merely upon the destination, whereas he considered even the road a part of the destination. Ever since reading that statement, I have gained greater satisfaction from every journey, for its fulfillment seemed to begin the moment the journey started.

Each of us carry about with us in our minds, I believe, certain destinations, and it is this fact that gives to us incentive and ambition. It's like keeping before us the very picture of the thing most desired. And this keeps us traveling toward it until we have gained it.

We would get very little satisfaction out of life if we did not keep these destinations of ours always in mind. They keep us from idleness, dissipation, and weakness of will. They are like invisible guides warning us against the wrong roads.

What must have been the thoughts of Columbus as he set sail from Europe, headed west, for a destination unknown, yet firm in the faith that there was a destination, and that one a new route to India. How thrilled he must have been when the first sight of land was detected!

The destination we plan on may not be the one that we finally achieve. Often, it proves to be a better one than the one looked forward to! Without some destination, however, selected and kept firmly in mind, we would get nowhere.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "The Fear to Fail!"

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST
The Poet of the People
THE WILLING GIVER
He did the little that he could,
Choosing to do it now,
No waiting for the larger good
The future might allow.

No one had ever heard him say
When he was asked to share:
"Come back again some distant day
When I have more to spare."

He never asked to see the list
Of gifts by others made,
But gave his little, lest be missed
His chance the cause of aid.

THE ALMANAC

Dec. 16—Sun rises 7:15; sets 4:36.
Moon rises in evening.
Dec. 17—Sun rises 7:16; sets 4:36.
Moon rises 5:45 p. m.
MOON PHASES
Dec. 16—Full moon.
Dec. 26—Last quarter.
Dec. 30—New moon.

In a beautiful wedding ceremony performed Thursday evening at the home of the bride, Miss Laura Ethel Shriver, daughter of Howard Shriver, Mt. Joy township, was united in marriage to Carl G. Reaver, of White Church, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Reaver, of that place.

The ring service was used, the Rev. L. K. Young performing the ceremony under an arch of ferns. The attendants were Miss Katherine Reaver and Wilmer Shriver.

Many at Colored Elks Annual Lodge of Sorrow: St. Paul's A. M. E. Zion church was crowded Sunday evening for the annual lodge of sorrow held by Lincoln Lodge of I. B. P. O. E. of W. here in memory of the three members, who died within the past month. J. Pinley Wilson, grand exalted ruler, was the principal speaker.

The three members of the local lodge who died during the year were John F. Washington, Alfred Palm and Eden Barnes.

Personal Mention: Dr. Maurice Weaver has returned from Washington, Pa., where he had been visiting. He was accompanied home by his wife and their young son. The Weavers are residing in the Gilliland apartments, Carlisle street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Heyser and children, Charles, Janet, Lewis and Steven, of Gorton, Virginia, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Seylar, Gettysburg R. 5.

Harvey Warner, of Harrisburg, spent Wednesday in town.

Harry Oyler, Jr., and family moved on Wednesday from 453 West Middle street into the Eberhart apartments, Chambersburg street.

Miss Irene Williams, a student at the Thompson Business School, of York, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Emory Williams, York street.

Miss Vinnie Eicholtz has returned to her home on North Stratton street, after spending two weeks with friends in Philadelphia.

Auburn's freshman football team played only three games this season, facing Georgia, Alabama and Georgia Tech.

The California Bears went through 54 football games during 1920-25 without a defeat. There were four ties in the string.

SANTA and the SNOWMAN

BY LUCRECE HUDGINS

OFF TO THE WISHING POOL

Poor Danny! He couldn't say a word. He could only stare at his leg which was now so twisted and knotted it looked like a piece of crooked wood and not like a leg at all.

It hurt, too, like something was pulling at it and turning it all the time.

The Snow Man started to pick him up in his arms. "I'll carry you," he said gently. "For I know how it must hurt."

Danny shook his head. "I'd best learn to use it," he said and his voice was so steady you would never have guessed his heart was broken.

"Perhaps Santa will know what we can do," said the Snow Man hopefully.

But alas! Santa was as helpless as they. When he saw Danny's leg and heard their story Santa turned away to hide his sorrow.

"It's my fault," he said, "It is all my fault."

"Why how could that be?" protested Danny.

But before Santa could tell them about Flounroy's desire to hurt him Mrs. Claus bustled into the room.

"Only look!" she cried. "Here's the boy sitting indoors by the fire with his hat and coat and boots on. Certainly he will take cold when he goes out! Come now—not another word until you are warm and rested and fed, too."

She swooped down on the boy and peeled off the heavy clothes. My, she smelled sweet! Suddenly Danny wanted to hug her tight.

But he knew if he did he would cry and cry so, holding himself oh, so stiffly, he said, "Thank you, ma'am." Mrs. Claus looked at him queerly a moment. Then she kissed him quickly right on his lips.

Well, for a minute, Danny almost didn't mind about his leg, he felt so warm and so loved. And you must remember it was a very new feeling for him. Except for the Snow Man he had never been loved by anyone at all.

Mrs. Claus turned to the Snow Man and said, "You better take off your hat, too, though I can understand why you'd want to wear it—a prettier one I never saw!"

The Snow Man touched his red peaked hat with the white fur trimming. "Ma'am, if I took this off I'd have to say goodbye." And, it was true, too, as they all well knew for the hat was the magic spell which gave the Snow Man life. If he took it off he would be just an ordinary snow man and never could be real again—not even if he put it on again.

Well, in no time, Mrs. Claus had

the three of them cheered up and smiling and no one said a word about Flounroy. They had a large dinner and this time Danny had a helping from each of the fifteen different bowls of ice cream. He even had seconds in cherry and peanut brittle.

They were still sitting at the table when there was a banging at the door and four little Santa Land brownies raced in followed, at a much more sedate pace, by a beautiful fairy.

"Santa! Santa!" cried the brownies. "Only look at Nadeem! See, would you recognize her?"

"They pointed excitedly at the lovely fairy and Santa and Mrs.

Claus gasped in astonishment.

Nadeem smiled demurely. "I know I was the ugliest fairy in Santa Land," she said. "Then I heard of the Wishing Pool. I went there and bathed and wished I might be beautiful. My wrinkles vanished. My pointed ears grew small and round. My hair grew fine and golden. And here I am and I know I am beautiful because I feel so beautiful inside."

"See!" cried the brownies. "So we are going to the Wishing Pool at once."

"To straighten my crossed-eyes!" cried Lance.

"To wash my freckles!" cried

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"To curl my hair!" cried Hubert.

"To whiten my teeth!" finished

Pudding, the last of the brownies.

"But where is this pool?" asked Santa.

"Down the way!" cried the brownies, screaming all together. "Over the hill. Across the clouds. Behind the moon. Under the daisy bed."

With shouts of joy they pushed each other out of the room and into the night.

"Wait! wait!" cried Danny, who had been sitting all this time in absolutely speechless astonishment but who now found both feet and voice. "Oh, wait for me!"

"And me!" shouted the Snow Man, jumping up and following Danny.

For of course they had the same idea: for Danny to bathe in this

wonderful pool and wish to have his leg well again.

Tomorrow: Riding the Stars.

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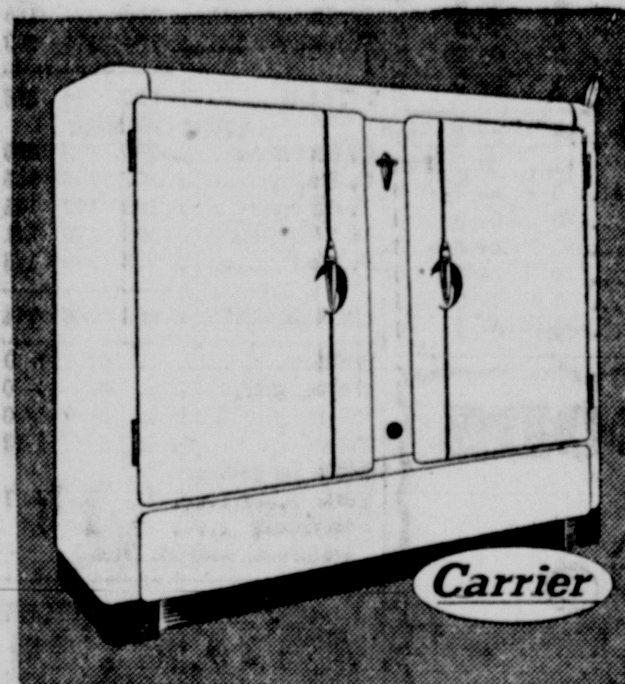
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CHRISTMAS GIFTS—Kittens and white rabbit to be given away. Call 383-W.

ORDERS TAKEN for cookies, cakes and fruit cakes. No orders accepted after December 15th. Call Mrs. Lawrence E. Rice, Biglerville 152-R-21.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR: Trinity Reformed Church, Thursday, December 16, 3-11 p. m. Mince meat, candy, cookies, pies, gifts and refreshments.

RUMMAGE SALE: Benefit Woman's League of Gettysburg College. Friday afternoon, December 17 and Saturday, December 18. Leatherman's Field, Center Square.

BATTLEFIELD GUIDES: Several guides have not paid their 1948 licenses. This must be done at once. C. A. Heiges, Burgess.

ROAST CHICKEN, baked ham supper, Wesley Chapel Social Hall, December 18, start serving at 4:00 p. m. Benefit Fountaindale Fire Co.

Where to Go - What to Do 10
SUPPER: CHICKEN corn soup, dessert included, 50c. Trinity Reformed church, Thursday, December 16, 5 p. m.
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Household Goods 18

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE
Estate of Sarah Ellen Shultz, late of Franklin Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the estate of the above decedent have been granted unto the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Adams County, Pennsylvania; all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are requested to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested and required to make payment without delay unto the undersigned.

CLYDE ALBERT SHULTZ, 210 W. Middle Street, Gettysburg, Pa.

HAZEL IRENE SHULTZ, HARKMAN, Cashtown, Pa.
DORSEY ALLEN SHULTZ, Fairfield, Pa.
JOHN ADAM SHULTZ, Fairfield, Pa.

Executors of the will of Sarah Ellen Shultz, deceased.
Or their attorneys,
Keith, Bigham & Markley,
First National Bank Building,
Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

CLERK'S NOTICE
Any persons having any interest whatsoever in the Trust Estate and Account herinafter mentioned are hereby notified that the First Account of The First National Bank of Gettysburg, Surviving Trustee of the Trust Estate of Henry Estate created under the last will of Herbert L. Grimm, deceased, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania, and said account will be presented to the said Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania for confirmation on December 20, 1948, at 10:00 o'clock, a. m., at which time a decree will be entered confirming said Account absolutely, unless exceptions there-to are filed in writing on or before the time of presentation thereof.

ENMA E. SHEFFER, Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Keith, Bigham & Markley, Attorneys.

NOTICE
Estate of Eva Mae Kime, late of Butler Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the estate of the above decedent have been granted unto the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Adams County, Pennsylvania; all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested and required to make payment without delay unto the undersigned.

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LIVE POULTRY—Market about steady. Trading inactive. Receipts moderate. Wholesale selling prices per pound in Baltimore:

FRYERS: 38—39c, some smaller, 37c; FOWLS: Colored, 39—41c, few best, 42c; lightweights, 38—39c, mostly 37c.

Baltimore Livestock

CATTLE—200; run principally steers which included several loads held from yesterday; not enough sold early to establish a price trend on any class; late yesterday afternoon some sale steers off as much as \$1, mainly \$24 down.

CALVES—150; generally steady in a slow trade; good and choice calves scarce, quoted \$10—\$3; common and medium, mainly \$21—29; odd culls down to \$15 and under.

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DOZEN PLAYERS TRADED FINAL DAY OF CONFAB

Chicago, Dec. 15 (AP)—Baseball personalities, big and small, headed for their respective homes today after the annual winter meeting.

No fewer than 12 big leaguers changed uniforms during the final 24 hours, boosting the total for the week to 21.

The Chicago Cubs and Philadelphia Phils, busiest traders in the National league, worked out a four-player deal which sent First Baseman Eddie Waitkus and Pitcher

Hank Borowy to the Phils in exchange for Pitchers Emil (Dutch) Leonard and Walter (Mond) Dubiel. The Cubs previously gave Philadelphia Outfielder Bill Nicholson and Pitcher Russ Meyer. The Phils sent Outfielder Harry Walker to the Cubs.

Yanks-Indians Deal

Earlier in the day, the Cleveland Indians and Washington Senators completed a big trade involving five players. The Indians acquired First Baseman Mickey Vernon and Pitcher Early Wynn in exchange for First Baseman Eddie Robinson and Pitchers Ed Klemm and Joe Haynes.

The deal was in the nature of an answer to the Yankees who on Monday night had obtained Pitcher Fred Sanford and Catcher Roy Partee from the St. Louis Browns for a cash outlay of \$100,000. Pitchers Charles (Red) Embree and Dick

100 SPORTSMEN

(Continued from Page 1)
auditorium by the pupils of the Littlestown Junior-Senior high school under the direction of Miss Joan Coble, supervisor of music in the Littlestown Jointure.

The program includes: Processional by the Girls' chorus singing, "Adeste Fidelis"; songs by the Junior and Senior Chorus.

Starr and Catcher Sherman Lollar. The Giants, who failed to land a man during the meetings, sold Relief Pitcher Ken Trinkle to the Phils. The Yankees also traded First Baseman Steve Souchock to the Chicago White Sox for Rookie Outfielder Jim Delsing and another player to be announced later.

Bucky Harris, who was released as manager of the Yankees at the end of the '48 season hooked on as a pilot at San Diego, and Dick Bartell, former star big league shortstop and Ted Lyons, former White Sox manager and pitcher, were named to the coaching staff of the Detroit Tigers.

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PUBLIC SALE

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Saturday, January 8, 1949
By virtue of a resolution of the undersigned Board of School Directors of Straban Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, there will be offered at public sale on the premises on Saturday, January 8, 1949, at 1:00 o'clock, P. M., E. S. T., the following:

A lot of ground situate along the public road leading from Hunterstown to the Gettysburg-Harrisburg State Highway in Straban Township aforesaid, for years past known as "Woodside School House Lot." Said lot fronts on said public road with a width of 100 feet, more or less, and extends to a depth of 198 feet, more or less. Said lot is bounded on the North by lands of Guy Rebert, on the South by Paul Dellinger, on the East by Paul Dellinger and on the West by the road aforesaid.

Said lot of ground is improved with Woodside School House. It is a frame school house with single roof in good condition. Outside toilet will be sold with the property. Electric and telephone lines are nearby. Well of water on premises.

At the same time and place the following personal property will be offered for sale:

desks, chairs, table, bell and other items too numerous to mention.

The terms and conditions of the sale will be made known at the time thereof by the undersigned. BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS, STRABAN TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT, ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.
G. R. Thompson, Auctioneer.
J. F. Yake, Jr., Attorney.

for chorus, "Swedish Dance Carol," "Bring a Torch" and "Little Child of Mary." This will be followed with music by the brass choir and orchestra; the singing of Christmas carols by the audience and the reading of a Christmas Story from the Holy Bible.

Then will follow songs by the senior chorus, "Merry Christmas," "No Candle Was There and No Fire" and "Deck the Halls." A senior member of the chorus will sing a Christmas solo, "Cantique de Noel." The program will conclude with a recessional. This program is open to the general public and the people of the community are urged to attend. There will be no admission charge.

Class To Broadcast

The speech class, which is an elective course for juniors and seniors in the Littlestown high school, taught by Miss LeOra Held, will broadcast Friday from 1:15 to 1:25 p. m. over station WCHA Chambersburg. They will read original poems which have been written by the pupils of grades 10, 11 and 12 in the local high school. The members of the class who will broadcast are Emily Badders, Anna Mae Bish, James Bowers, Anne Budd, Richard Mehring, James Motter, Wilbur Sentz, Phyllis Bittie, Pat Small, Albert Stock, Glenn Unger, Ralph Unger, Fred Warner, Joann Wehler, Richard S. Wolfe, and Jacqueline Baughman. Ralph Unger will serve as the announcer.

The titles of the poems to be read and their authors are: "If I Were Santa," Doris Hawk and Charles Jacobs; "The Christmas Spirit," Evelyn Anthony; "Christmas Eve," Robert Snyder; "The Carolers," James Motter; "Christmas is Coming," Richard E. Wolfe; "Christmas Eve," Jean Reck; "Christmas Cheer," Ruth Staub; "Snow for Christmas," Mahlon Weikert; "The Christmas Season," Carolyn Orndorff; "Christmas Time," Charlotte Huff; "The Death of the Christmas Spirit," Earl Humbert; "A Description of Santa Claus," Albert Stock and Evan Kline; "Christmas Day," Charlotte Yingling and "Twas the Day of Christmas," Fred Snyder. Enjoy Southern Singers

A combined assembly of the Littlestown Junior Senior high school was held Tuesday afternoon, when the students heard a musical program by the Deep River Jubilee quartet, masters of southern harmony. This quartet was secured through the Charles A. Dietrich Booking Agency in Philadelphia and was composed of Robert Venable,

first tenor; William Robinson, second tenor; Herman Head, baritone, and Roland Squires, bass. Their program consisted of popular negro spirituals, ballads of Dixieland, semi-classics and popular numbers. Highlights on their program included: negro spirituals, "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen," "Dry Bones" and "Deep River"; "Water Boy," a semi-classic; "The Man I Love," by Gershwin, and "Old MacDonald's Farm" and "Little Liz, I Love You," fun makers. The program met with such approval by the students and faculty that two encores were given: "Hard Trials" and "Sweet Adeline." This program was

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THE GETTYSBURG TIMES, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1948

Spy Probers To Quiz Government Worker Suspected Of Stealing Army Secrets

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Washington, Dec. 15 (AP)—A man suspected of stealing and handing over to Russia pre-war army secrets of "great military significance" may be haled before the congressional spy hearings later this week.

The secrets are supposed to have come out of the Aberdeen Proving ground on Chesapeake Bay north of Baltimore. There was no immediate hint as to their nature beyond the claim that they included "formulas, descriptions and leading information involving our hitting and our defensive power."

Red Ring Operating Now

As the House un-American Activities committee pushed its spy hunt into this new field:

1. Acting Chairman Mundt (R-SD) said "the feeling on the committee is unanimous that there is a Soviet espionage ring operating in Washington now." He said the government has done "not one, single, effective thing to prevent it."

2. The committee tried to prod a New York grand jury into coming out with indictments "of all guilty parties" connected with a Soviet espionage ring that was, in committee words, "aided and abetted by officials and employees of our own government."

3. Arrangements were made for serial publication of all but four of the secret papers obtained from Whittaker Chambers, former Communist courier. The four are still regarded by the State Department as likely to injure national security, but the others will be released in batches starting tomorrow.

4. The committee said that starting tomorrow it expects to "exercise the full authority of its subpoena powers and the other authorities granted it by Congress."

Wait For Witnesses

That appeared to be notice to the Justice Departments that the committee is waiting only 24 hours more for a chance to summon Chambers and other key witnesses for questioning.

Whether the committee will get around to the Aberdeen phase this week also appeared to hinge in part on whether it could get any of the witnesses who have been busy in New York.

The new twist in its inquiry was



LEADER — Dr. Frances Scott of Northampton, Mass., president of National Federation of Business and Professional Women and a physician for 30 years, poses during N. Y. visit.

disclosed by the committee in a formal statement summarizing its investigation to date and urging punishment of the guilty.

Civilian Employee

Mundt said the weapons involved no longer are secret. But he declined to name any of them. He indicated the man the committee wants to question is a civilian and is believed to be still working for the government.

Mundt said he never has seen the man's name in the newspapers and that it hasn't come out before in the committee hearings.

The statement the committee put out yesterday said microfilm obtained from Chambers supplied the evidence to establish that Soviet spying, with the cooperation of

American Communists, "has been amazingly successful for over 10 years."

Government employees and officials who helped have committed a crime which, in effect, "is treason," the committee said. It added: "In our opinion, this conspiracy comprises one of the most serious, if not the most serious, series of treasonable activities which has been launched against the government in the history of America."

Regardless of what the grand jury does, the committee said, it is going to continue its own investigation "relentlessly" toward: Disclosure of all guilty parties; determining the extent of present spying in the government; finding out the part the Communist party is playing, and working out legislation to make "continuing espionage and the further employment of disloyal people impossible."

The Syracuse University basketball team will play all of its home games at the State Fair Coliseum this winter.

PHONE RATE PROBE OPENS

Harrisburg, Dec. 15 (AP)—An investigation into a proposed \$25,000,000 rate boost by the Bell Telephone company of Pennsylvania opens today before the Public Utility commission.

The inquiry was ordered by the commission on its own motion after it suspended the rate increase six months until July 21, 1949. The new rate, originally was to become effective January 21.

The hearings, which will continue through Friday, seek to determine, the PUC said, the "fairness and reasonableness" of the proposed hike.

The new increase would have jumped the monthly bills of 1,665,170 residential and commercial users around 30 per cent in the larger exchanges and netted the company an estimated 16 per cent in revenues.

venues.

"Steadily mounting costs of operations and a sharp decline" in earnings made the rate necessary, the company said in its application.

A number of formal complaints against the proposed boost have been filed with the PUC, including one from the city of Pittsburgh. Both Pittsburgh and Allegheny county officials were granted permission from the commission to offer testimony at the hearings.

Fight Over Mouse Lands Two In Court

Coventry, Eng., Dec. 15 (AP)—John Malcolm Venables, 23, brought his pet mouse when he went into a bar for a bit of beer. He put the mouse

on the bar. The barkeep killed it. Venables wound up in magistrate's court today, charged with throwing bricks through the window of the bar. He pleaded guilty to causing \$20 (\$80) worth of damage. The judge stayed punishment to wait a report on Venables' drinking habits, but Venables was not comforted. He mourned: "I had that mouse for two years."

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 15 (AP)—Farmer Peter Smud is \$65 poorer today because one of his pigs made a hog of itself. Smud dropped his billfold in the pigen. The pig chewed before he could retrieve it. When he took the altered money to the bank he was told it was of no value because the pig had eaten too much. He sold the hog to help offset the loss.

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TRUMAN LIKELY TO ASK SPEED FROM CONGRESS

By JACK BELL
Washington, Dec. 15 (AP)—President Truman seems likely to signal a legislative speedup when he reports personally to Congress on the state of the union January 4 or 5.
Few expect the new session to produce any major laws before Mr. Truman is inaugurated for his first

full White House term January 20. But there are signs that the Democratic leadership plans to strike hard for its program while the November election honeymoon still beams over the lawmakers.
Fear Filibuster
This probably will involve shoving aside for the time being the civil rights proposals the President is expected to repeat in his message. He is said to have decided to report personally to Congress a day or two before the November 2 election results are officially canvassed January 6.
Democratic chieftains apparently have decided that the best time to make hay with their program is

early in the session, before a threatened civil rights filibuster can gum up the machinery in the Senate.
Mr. Truman already has made it clear his program will be built around the Democratic platform and an expansion of the proposals he made in a 21-point message to Congress on September 6, 1945.
To Suggest Repeal
That apparently means he will suggest—among other things—repeal of the Taft-Hartley Act, stand-by price controls, long-range housing legislation, a higher minimum wage, wider social security benefits, a national health program and federal aid to education.
It was learned that Democratic party leaders have decided not to make any attempt in the Senate to deny committee chairmanships or places on important groups to those who leaned toward—or even openly supported—the States' Rights ticket which cut Mr. Truman out of 39 electoral votes in the south.
Neither will there be any effort, these leaders said, to take committee assignments away from Senator Taylor of Idaho, Henry Wallace's running mate on the Progressive ticket.

Bossy Now Gets Hair Cuts, Radiant Heat

Chicago, Dec. 15 (AP)—Bossy, queen of the dairy industry, is finding life more plushy.
At the opening of the Illinois dairy products association it was disclosed that the dairy cow is coming in for such extravagances as haircuts and radiant heat.
A live cow will be on the stage at the convention headquarters in a loop hotel today and will get the new look at the hands of coiffeurs wielding a newly introduced bovine electric shaver. Dairy men said the haircut makes bossy feel more comfortable.
H. K. Lange of Minneapolis told the dairymen yesterday how heat pipes are being laid under barn floors to keep bossy's mattress dry and guard her from sudden chills.

Pleads Guilty To Murder; Gets Life

Philadelphia, Dec. 15 (AP)—A sentence of life imprisonment in Eastern penitentiary was imposed on Monday upon Walter Davis, 45, at his second trial for murder in the 1947 gun slaying of a 26-year-old woman.
Davis was sentenced by Judges Clare G. Fenerty, Thomas Bluet and Charles L. Guerin after pleading guilty to the slaying of Zepheline Rota on October 28, 1947.
At his first trial he was found guilty and condemned to the electric chair. At that time he pleaded not guilty to the murder charge. He appealed his conviction and was granted a second trial.

Grow Out Heifers—Good feeding and management will enable heifers to develop their inherited capacity for size and production, reminds R. H. Olmstead, Penn State extension dairy specialist. Every 100 pounds increase in size will result in 500 pounds more milk annually.

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Upper End Farm And Business News

PENNA. FLOCKS MAY SHATTER EGG RECORDS

Harrisburg, Dec. 15 (AP)—Pennsylvania flocks stand a good chance of shattering the all-time egg production record, the State Agriculture department said today.
The 1948 production was 28,000,000 eggs ahead of last year's high of slightly over 3 billion on December 1, as compared with the first 11 months of 1947, federal-state surveys showed.
At the same time, the Department announced that November's mild weather had established a new record for that month with a mark of 225,000,000 eggs. The month's figures were three per cent higher than last year although the number of layers, at 19,606,000, was one per cent lower.

Weather Helped
"Temperatures averaged six degrees above normal in November, favorably affecting the rate of lay which advanced from 11.16 to 11.46 per bird, the Department said.
The Department also credited improved breeding stock and better management for the increase in production.
Meanwhile, November production throughout the nation was 6,500,000 off last year's mark but was about 25,000,000 more than in October, the surveys showed.
State farmers received an average 11 cents a dozen for eggs on November 15, about a half-cent higher than in October. However, the prices have started dropping rapidly in recent weeks.

Milk Record
Meanwhile, the Department said Pennsylvania's dairy herds also set a November milk production record of 395,000,000 pounds.
The month's production was three per cent above the November figure last year but nine per cent below that for October, 1948.
In addition to the warm weather, the Department said liberal feeding of concentrates and roughage helped set the new record.
The Department said there were 951,000 milk cows in November, 1,000 less than a year ago, but the percentage of all cows milked was the highest since 1942.

Pa. Farmers Lead On Pea Yields

For the second time in four years Pennsylvania farmers have led the way for those of all other states in the average amount of green peas grown on an acre of ground.
The state Department of Agriculture, from federal-state surveys on production of vegetables for freezing and canning, announces the average yield per acre for shelled green peas this year was 2,710 pounds, highest in the Nation. The State held the same distinction in 1945. Total production in 1948 was 15,850 tons from 11,700 acres compared with 1947 production of 16,890 tons from 15,300 acres.
Pennsylvania production of tomatoes for canning this year showed a decline from 1947, but more sweet corn and green lima beans were grown.
Canning tomatoes were hit hard when blight became bothersome in mid-summer. The acreage was 22,500 or a drop of 5,400 from 1947. The yield per acre was more than a ton under last year, 5.8 compared with 6.9 tons. Total production was 130,500 tons for canning whereas in 1947 the crop mounted to 192,500 tons.

Remove Calves' Horns—Chemicals can be used to remove horns on calves at an early age, according to J. C. Nageotte, Penn State extension dairy specialist. At least one preparation must be used when the calves are less than a week old. Follow directions in using.

Expect Pork Increase—The national 1949 spring pig crop is expected to be 15 to 20 per cent more than this year, says Kenneth Hood, Penn State extension agricultural economist, in reporting the agricultural outlook for the new year.

SMALLEST APPLE CROP HARVESTED

Handling of one of the smallest Pennsylvania commercial apple crops in many years has been completed, the state Department of Agriculture reports.
Much of the crop was sold fresh, a good portion was taken by canneries and relatively small supplies were placed in storage for later movement by growers.
According to the latest federal-state survey on fruit production in Pennsylvania, as of November 1, the State harvest of apples this year was 5,520,000 bushels, little more than half of the average of 8,031,000 bushels grown in the 10-year was 4,520,000 bushels, little crop was more than two million bushels under the 1947 harvest of 6,612,000 bushels. Freezing weather at blossoming time was responsible for the greatest part of the reduction this year.

Below Estimates Here
Apples in Erie county were of fair size and good quality. In the Berks-Lehigh area Romes were of fair size and color but Staymans were a light crop.
Apples in the Adams-Franklin-York area were much shorter crops than previously expected as fruit hung only on the outside of the trees.
Hot weather in late August and a dry September kept size down in most areas but many growers agree that the flavor and quality were better than last year, the Department said.
The national apple crop this year totaled 90,288,000 bushels compared with 113 million last year and the average of 115 million bushels.
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CORN BORER IN COUNTY SHOWS DECLINE IN '48

A marked decrease in corn borer infestation in Adams county was noted this year over the 1947 figures, according to information just released by the Bureau of Plant Industry of the state Department of Agriculture.

The average number of corn borer infested plants in each 100 stalks of field corn examined this year was 31.9 as compared with 52.6 in 1947. Figures for nearby counties included in the survey follow with 1948 figures listed first and 1947 reports given in parentheses: Bedford, 4.1 (1.0); Cumberland, 23.4 (56.6); Dauphin, 39.4 (48.3); Franklin, 49.9 (46.0); Fulton, 7.7 (6.9); Lancaster, 62.0 (65.9); Perry, 7.7 (31.0) and York, 27.8 (49.1).

Control Measures Effective
Damage to Pennsylvania corn crops by the European corn borer has been fairly constant over the past three years, the pests appearing in approximately one out of four stalks in 36 counties surveyed by agents of the Bureau of Plant Industry.

A slight decline was found this year compared with last, according to Dr. Thomas L. Guyton, bureau chief. Stalk infestation in 1948 was 26.3 per cent against 27.3 per cent in 1947 and 27.7 per cent in 1946, he said.

The drop in borer numbers this season is attributed to activities of farmers in control measures, also to the fact that nearly 85 per cent of the State's corn acreage in 1948 was grown from hybrid seed which provides a stronger, sturdier stalk, less likely to be weakened to the breaking point by the ravenous insect pests, Dr. Guyton explained.

No Further Spread
Heaviest infestation of corn borers was reported this year in Chester county where 75.5 of each 100 corn stalks examined was found to average 4.1 borers each. Other counties with 50 per cent or more infestation were: Bucks, 67.4 stalks per 100; Montgomery, 63.7; Lancaster, 62; and Philadelphia, 61.2 per cent infestation.

No spread of corn borers to new counties was reported by the de-

Offer Short Courses At State College

Registrations are now being filed for three farming short courses to be conducted early in 1949 at the Pennsylvania State College, A. L. Beam, director of agricultural short courses, announced. Each of these courses are four weeks in length.

The schedule follows: general farming, January 3 to 29; dairy farming, January 31 to February 26; livestock farming, January 31 to February 26. In past years, many students enrolled for the general farming instruction, then stayed on for additional weeks of training in either the dairy or livestock courses.

Instructions in all of these courses is under regular faculty members in the School of Agriculture. A full schedule of classroom, laboratory and, when possible, field work is provided each student, with emphasis on fundamentals involved, along with practices of modern agriculture.

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any county agent's office, or by writing to A. L. Beam, director of short courses, The Pennsylvania State College, State College, Pa.

FARM CALENDAR

Poison the Rats — Fortified red squill, either the powder or liquid form, is the safest rat poison to use, says E. J. Udine, extension entomologist of the Pennsylvania state college. Some other poisons used for rats are extremely dangerous to other animals and humans. Red squill is not only safe but effective.

Plan Hog Pastures — Farmers now planning pasture crops for next year should include alfalfa for their hogs, says L. C. Madison, extension livestock specialist of the Pennsylvania state college. Good alfalfa pasture saves 5 to 10 per cent of the grain and 30 to 40 per cent of the protein supplement needed in producing pork.

Protect Evergreens — In case of heavy snowfall use a broom to remove it from evergreen shrubs, urges A. O. Rasmussen, Penn State extension ornamental horticulturist, or damage may result.

Protect Roses in Winter — Roses need some protection during the winter, says A. O. Rasmussen, extension ornamental horticulturist of the Pennsylvania state college. Hill some soil around the individual bushes, place a small screen of chicken wire around each bush, and cover the mounded bush or

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Clip the Cows — Clipping of cows helps them to produce cleaner milk, according to H. C. Gilmore, extension dairy specialist of the Pennsylvania state college. Clipping also reduces the labor needed in care of the animals, makes it easier to prepare the cow for milking, and improves the appearance of the herd.

Control Cattle Lice — Spray or dust cattle with DDT to control lice, suggests S. G. Gesell, Penn State extension entomologist. Choose a warm, sunny day for spraying. Detailed information on the practice can be obtained from your county agricultural agent.

Hatch in Winter — Pullets hatched in January and February can be producing heavily from July to December when new-laid eggs are scarce and prices are high, says H. H. Kauffman, Penn State extension poultry specialist.

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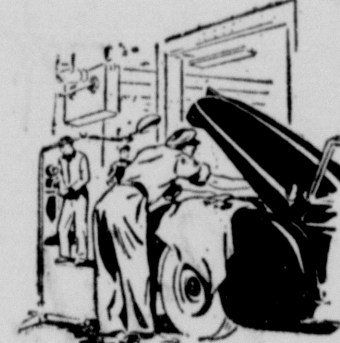
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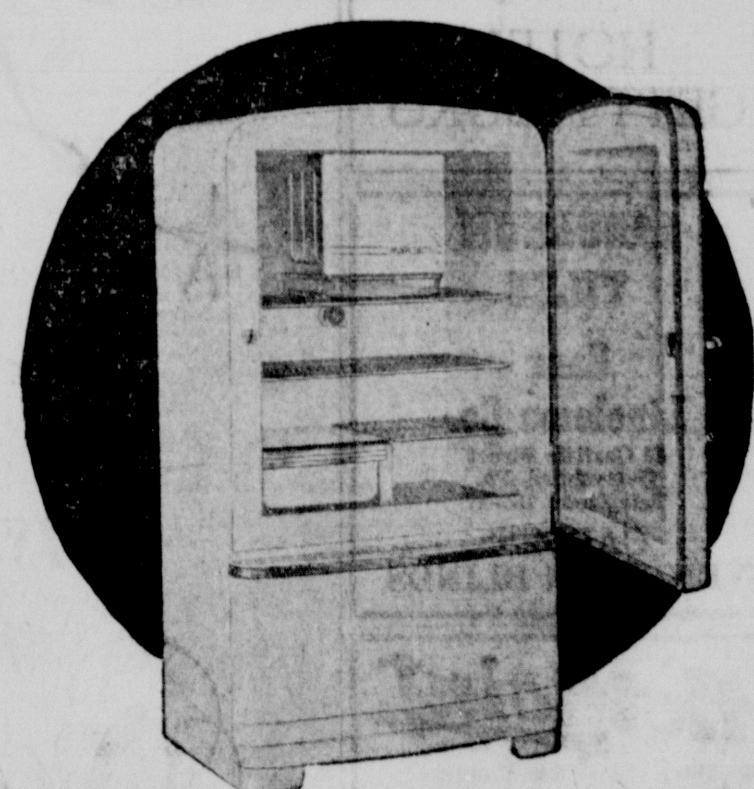
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CAUGHT IN FRAUD IN CHINCHILLAS

Philadelphia, Dec. 15 (AP)—Alfred J. Kerber, 48, of Reading, Pa., was indicted by the federal grand jury yesterday on charges of using the mails to defraud in connection with a non-existent chinchilla farm.

Postal inspector George Sadler said Kerber netted about \$10,000 from his operations.

Sadler said Kerber is a former employee of the Hill-Top Chinchilla company, at Wyomissing, Pa., and used the firm's name to put over his scheme. The company, however, was not involved in the indictment, Sadler added.

The postal inspector said Kerber advertised he had two "pools," one of which would consist of six members and the other of eight members. Membership in the six-member pool cost \$100 and in the other \$125.

Kerber promised each member a pair of chinchillas, a male and a female, a year from date of membership.

Sadler told the jury none of the members ever received any chinchillas. He said Kerber didn't even own a chinchilla let alone a farm.

Thanks Judge For Prison Sentence

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 15 (AP)—"I'm broken in health and want to go back to the pen," Frank B. Tallon, who has spent 21 of his 59 years in prison, told Judge M. J. Eagen on Monday.

So Judge Eagen obliged and sentenced the Binghamton, N. Y., man to three to 10 years in Eastern penitentiary on three charges of burglary.

"Thank you, your honor," was Tallon's reply after being sentenced.

FIX APPEAL DATE

Philadelphia, Dec. 15 (AP)—David Almeida's appeal from a death sentence for killing policeman Cecil Ingling during a super-market hold-up will be heard in Pittsburgh by the Supreme court, March 21. Arlin M. Adams, Almeida's counsel, filed an appeal with the high court yesterday, claiming Almeida believes he has suffered injustice by the judgment and sentence.

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Court Martial Schools Planned

Fort Meade, Md., Dec. 15 (AP)—The Second Army will conduct schools in a seven-state area to acquaint officers and "selected enlisted men" with changes in court martial procedure.

Under the Selective Service Act of 1948, enlisted men may be members of a general court martial for the trial of enlisted men. Formerly only officers sat on courts martial.

All officers and warrant officers will be required to take the 15-hour course. The schools are expected to get under way by the first of the year, and the new procedures and regulations become effective February 1.

The Second Army area includes Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana, and the District of Columbia.

When John Kimbrough, fullback of the Los Angeles Rams, missed the Buffalo game recently, it was the first time in 36 games that he failed to appear.

PRESSURE WILL COME OFF STEEL

New York, Dec. 15 (AP)—A prediction that the "highly pressurized" phase of the steel shortage will end next year was made today by the Iron Age, metalworking trade weekly.

This will be the result, the publication said, of "the chance that 1949 will bring out a new record in finished steel output, because of new finished steel capacities and full output of open-hearth."

There is no chance that supply will outrun demand for at least the first half of next year, said the Iron Age, adding: "After that it is any one's guess. But before guesses are in order such things as labor impasse, defense demand, European arms and the effects of a fourth round of wages will have to be gaged. It is not time to sell steel short or to decide that the tight metals conditions is ready for the rummage sale department."

The trade weekly said demand

from the oil industry, from gas pipeline firms and from the auto field will be heavy most of next year, while governmental and state sponsored construction is "a dark horse," which "may mushroom if reports of unemployment become widespread."

Layoffs that have occurred in the metal industry were described as involving "so small a part of total working force that they are only a sign to watch at this time."

The continuing high production figures for steel, the Iron Age said, mean that "some Congressmen getting ready to sharpshoot at the industry on the controversial capacity question will find their ammunition no better than a Christmas pop gun."

The 11 teams in the American Hockey league will play 68 games each this season—34 at home and 34 away.

Two Persons Killed In Auto Accidents

Philadelphia, Dec. 15 (AP)—Two persons were killed in separate automobile accidents Monday in the Philadelphia suburban area.

Police said Mrs. Marie A. Souder, 53, of Oreland, Pa., was crushed to death when the car in which she was riding was struck by a heavily-laden tractor-trailer Monday in Elkins Park and hurled against a service station. Her husband, William Souder, was treated at Abington Memorial hospital for an injured right leg.

Driver of the trailer-truck, Alton H. Buch, 29, of Red Hill, Pa., was charged with involuntary manslaughter and held in \$2,500 bail for hearing Dec. 20 by Justice of the Peace Charles Barnes, Cheltenham township.

In the other accident, John Jefferson, Jr., Wayne, was fatally injured when his car crashed into a telephone pole in St. David's.

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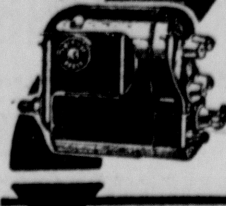
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